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REVENUE ACT.

The following act has passed both Houses of the General Assembly:

Section 1. *The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact*, That the taxes hereinafter designated, payable in the existing national currency, shall be assessed and collected under the rules and regulations prescribed in this act, and in the act for collecting revenue, ratified March tweifth, eighteen hundred and sixty six, or such act as may be substituted therefor by this General Assembly; all the provisions of which, except so far as modified or repealed, shall be held applicable to secure the assessment, collection and return of the taxes herein imposed.

Sec 2 On each taxable poll of male between the ages of twenty-one and fifty, except such poor and infirm persons as the County Commissioners may declare and record fit subjects for exemption there shall be annually levied and Collected a tax of one dollar and five cents, the proceeds of such tax to be devoted to purposes of education as may be prescribed by law.

If any poll tax shall not be paid within sixty days after the same shall be demandable, it shall be the duty of the sheriff, if he can find no property of the person liable sufficient to satisfy the same, to garnishee any person indebted to the person liable, or who may become indebted to him before the expiration of the calendar year. And the person so garnisheed shall be liable for said tax.

Sec. 3. The taxes hereafter designated shall be applied to defray the expenses of the State government, to pay the interest on the public debt and to pay appropriations for schools and charitable institutions.

CLASS 1.

Sec 1 There shall be an *ad valorem* tax of thirty-five cents on every one hundred dollars in value of real and personal property in this State, subject to exemptions made by law. This tax shall be levied in addition to such special taxes as are authorized by the General Assembly.

Upon all moneys, credits, investments in bonds, not excepted by law seven twentieths of one per cent.

Upon all stocks, joint stock companies, or otherwise, seven twentieths of one per cent of their cash value; *Provided*, That all the taxes for State and County purposes, imposed upon all real and personal property, exclusive of the special taxes authorized by the General Assembly, shall, in no case, exceed two-thirds of one per cent.

CLASS 2.

The subjects and persons mentioned in the following class be taxed as specially mentioned;

Sec. 1. On the net incomes and profits, other than that derived from property taxed, from any source whatever, during the year preceding the first day of April in each year there shall be a tax of two and one-half per cent. The income tax shall include interest on the securities of the United States, of this State, or other State or government In estimating the net incom the only deduction by way of expenses shall be:

1. Taxes other than the income tax due this State.

2. Rent for use of buildings or other property or interest on incumbrances on property used in the business from which the income is derived.

3. Usual or ordinary repairs of the buildings from which the income is derived.

4. Cost or value of the labor (except that of the tax payer himself) raw material, food, and all other necessary expenses incidental to the business from which the income is derived, together with necessary expenses of supportin the family which shall in no instance exceed one thousand dollars.

The tax payer shall return of his to the assessor the gross amount income and the gross amount of his expenses to be deducted therefrom, which return the assessor shall file in the office of the clerk of the county commissioners.

Sec. 2 Upon all real and personal estate, whether legal or equitable, situate as within the State, which shall descend, or be devised or bequeathed to any collateral relation or person, other than a lineal decendant or ancestor of the husband or wife of the deceased, or husband or wife of such ancestor or descendant, or to which such collateral relation may become entitled, under the law, for the distribution of the intestate estates and which real and personal estate may not be required in payment of debts and other liabilities the following per centum. tax upon the value thereof shall be paid.

1. If such collateral relation be a brother or sister of the father or mother of the deceased, or issue of such brother or sister a tax of one per cent.

2. If such collateral relation, be a more remote relation, or the devisee or legatee be a stranger, a tax of two per cent.

The real estate liable to taxation shall be listed by the devisee or heir, in a separate column, designating its proper per cent tax.

The personal estate, or real estate reduced to assets, shall be liable to the tax in the hands of the executor or administrator, and shall be paid by him before his administration account is audited, or the real estate is settled, to the sheriff of the county. If the real estate descended or devised shall not be the entire inheritance, the heir or devisee shall pay a *pro rata* part of the tax corresponding with the relative value of the estate or interest.

If the legacy or distributive share to be received, shall not be the entire property such legatee or distributee shall in like manner, pay a *pro rata* part of the tax according to the value of his interest.

Whenever the personal property in the hands of such administrator or executor (the same not being needed to be converted into money, in the course of the administration) shall be of uncertain value he shall apply to the county commissioners to appoint three impartial men of probity to assess the value thereof; and such assessment being returned to the commissioners, and being confirmed, shall be conclusive of the value.

To facilitate the collection of the tax on collaterals, every executor or administrator shall return in his inventory whether the estate of the deceased goes to the lineal or collaterals, relations, or to a stranger, and if to collaterals, the degree of relationship of such collaterals to the deceased, under a penalty of one hundred dollars, to be recovered in the name and for the use of the State; and it shall be the duty of the Superior Court Clerk of the county to furnish the sheriff with the names of the executors and the administrators, who make such returns after each and every term of his court.

SCHEDULE B.

The taxes in this Schedule imposed are for the privilege of carrying on the business or doing the act named

Section 1. Traveling theatrical companies shall pay five dollars for the first and five dollers for each subsequent exhibition. When the theatrical exhibitions are by the season of no less than one month, the tax shall be fifty dollars

Sec. 2. On each concert and musical entertainment for profit, shall be paid five dollars; on each lecture for reward, five dollars.

Sec. 3. On museums, wax works or curiosities of any kind, natural or artificial (except paintings and statuary,) on each day's and nights exhibiting shall be paid five dollars;

Sec. 4. On every exhibition of a circus or menagerie, for each day or part of a day, forty dollars, and for each side show to a circus or menagerie, ten dollars.

Sec. 5. On itinerant companies, or persons who exhibit for amusement of the public, otherwise than is mentioned in the four preceding sections, for each county, five dollars for each exhibition Exhibitions given without charge for admission, and also those exclusively for charitable objects, shall be exempt.

Sec. 6. On each exhibition of spirit rappings, or other device, by whatever name called, which professes to reveal communications from the spirits of the living or dead for profit, ten dollars.

Sec. 7. On all gift enterprises, or any person or establishment offering any article for sale, proposing to present purchasers with any gift or prize as an inducement to purchase, within the limits of the State, ten dollars for each day such person or establishment continues in operation. This tax shall not be construed to relieve such person or establishments from any penalties incurred by a violation of the law.

Sec. 8. Every Agency of a bank, incorporated out of the State, two hundred fifty dollars.

Sec. 9 The tax on billiard saloons shall be fifty dollars each.

Sec. 10. To keep a ten pin alley, or alley of like kind, or bowling saloons, or bagatelle table, or any other table, stand or place for any other game or play, with or without a name, unless such alley, stand, place or game is kept for private amusement or exercise alone, and not prohibited by law, there shall be a license tax of twenty-five dollars.

Sec. 11. Every retail dealer in spirituous, vinous liquors, porter, lager beer, or other malt liquors shall pay a tax of ten per cent on the amount of purchases, and every person who buys and sells spirituous, vinous or malt liquors in quantities less than three gallons, shall, within the meaning of this act be retail dealer

Sec. 12. Every wholesale dealer or person who buyes and sells spirituous, vinous or malt liquors in quantities not less than three gallons, shall pay a tax of five per cent. on the amount of his purchases.

Sec. 13. Every person distilling spirituous liquors shall pay a tax of ten per cent. on the cash value of the liquors distilled from grain, potatoes, molasses and sugar cane; and five per cent on the liquors distilled from fruit.

Sec. 14. Every manufacturer of tobacco shall pay a tax of 2½ per cent. on his purchases of leaf tobacco.

Sec. 15. Every merchant or other dealer shall apply to the Sheriff for a license, and shall state on oath, the estimated amounts of his purchases from the time when the licenses is to begin to run, to its expiration and the amount of tax to be paid by him shall be computed upon that estimate, and the tax shall be one fifth of one per cent., and shall be paid on receiving the license, and shall in no instance be less than ten dollars.—Within ten days after the end of January, April, July and October, the merchant or dealer shall deliver to the sheriff a sworn statement of the actual amount of his purchases within the preceding quarter. The sheriff shall have power to require the merchant making such statement to submit his books to examination by the sheriff, and every merchant refusing on demand to submit his books to such examination, shall be liable to a penalty to the State of two hundred dollars, to be prosecuted by the sheriff and recovered in any court having jurisdiction of the case. It shall further be the duty of the sheriff to prosecute every merchant refusing as aforesaid, in the Superior Court of the county, as may be prescribed for special proceeding to the end of obtaining such examination and compelling payment of the proper tax.

Sec. 16. On the gross receipts of hotels, boarding houses, (except those used for educational purposes,) restaurants and eating houses, the tax shall be one per cent.

Sec. 17. On the gross receipts of gas companies, two per cent.

Sec. 18. The tax on public ferries, toll gates and toll bridges, shall be on the gross receipts, two per cent. On gates across highways five dollars.

Sec. 19. Every money or exchange, bond or note broker or agent of a foreign broker or banker, in addition to the *ad valorem* tax on their capital invested, or the tax on their net income, shall pay, if employing a capital of twenty thousand dollars or more a license tax of one hundred dollars; a capital of less than twenty thousand dollrrs and not less than ten thousand dollars, fifty dollars; and if a capital of ten thousand dollars or less, a tax of twenty-five dollars; and also ten dollars additional for each county in which they have an agency.

Sec 20. Every person who purchases in the State or brings into the State for sale or use, playing cards, shall pay a tax of twenty-five cents for each separate deck or pack so bought or brought into the State.

Sec. 21. On each stud horse and jackass let to mares for a price, there shall be a tax equal in amount to the price charged for the season, not to be less than five dollars, and if no price is charged by the season, there shall be a tax of ten dollars.

Sec. 12. Every horse or mule drover or persons who buys or receives horses or mules from another for sale, shall pay a tax of one and one half per cent. on exchange of horses or mule, due as soon as the sale is effected, or profit by the exchange is received; and upon failure to pay such tax in every county in which he sells or exchanges for profit, he shall forfeit and pay one hundred dollars, which shall be collected by the sheriff by distress or otherwise, one half to his own use, and the other half to the use of the State.

Sec. 23. On every person who, for himself or as an agent of another, sells riding vehicles, shall pay two per cent. on his sales.

Sec. 24. Every auctioneer on all goods wares or merchandise, sold by himself or agent, whether the growth or manufacture of this State or not, shall pay one per cent. on the gross amount of his sales, subject to all the regulations and exemptions set sorth in the tenth chapter of the Revised Code entitled "Autions and Auctioneers."

Sec. 25 Every commission merchant shall pay tax of one-fourth of one per cent. on his sales as commission merchant.

Sec. 26. Every person whose occupation or business is to keep horses or vehicles for hire, or to let, shall pay a tax of five dollars for every horse for that purpose, at any time during the year, to be collected by the sheriff quarterly: *Provided*, That this section shall not be apply by draymen.

Sec. 27. Every licensed retailer of spiritous liquors, wines or cordials, thirty-five dollars for one year. Every retailer of malt liquors only, shall pay fifteen dollars. The taxes in this section shall be in addition to the tax imposed on purchases of liquors in this schedule.

Sec. 28. Every itinerant dentist, medical practitioner, portrait or miniature painter, daguerrean artist and other person taking likeness of the human face, ten dollars for each county in which he carries on his business; *Provided*, That such persons as shall furnish satisfactory evidence to the sheriff of the county in which he proposes to practice, that he is a resident of the State, and has listed the receipts of his profession for the previous year, shall be exempt from the tax imposed in this paragraph

Sec. 29 Every person that peddles goods, wares or merchandise, either by land or water, or any drugs, nostrums, or medicines, whether such person shall travel on foot or with a conveyance or otherwise, shall first have proved to the County Commissioners that he is of good moral character, and shall have obtained from the Commissioners (who may in their discretion make or refuse) an order to the sheriff to grant him peddler's license to expire on the first of next ensuing, and the Sheriff, on the production of a copy of such order, certified by the clerk of said commissioners, shall grant such license for his county on the receipt of twenty dollars tax: *Provided*, (1,) That not more than one person shall peddle under the license. (2.) That any person who temporarily carries on a business as merchant in any public place and then removes his goods, shall be deemed a peddler. (3.) That nothing in this section contained shall prevent any person freely selling live stock, vegetables, fruits, oysters, fish, books, charts, maps, printed music, or the articles of his own growth or manufacture within this State. (4.) That nothing herein contained shall release peddlers from paying the tax imposed in this act on persons who deal in the same species of merchandize, which tax shall be collected or secured in the same manner as in the case of other merchants and traders.

Sec. 30. Every itinerant who deals in or puts up lightning rods, five dollars for each county in which he carries on his business.

Sec 31. Every itinerant who sells spirituous liquors, wines or cordials, not the products of his own farm, shall pay twenty-five dollars for every county, and be under the same rules and restrictions as peddlers, except that an order from the commissioners shall not be required for a license.

Sec. 32. Every company of gypsies, or strolling company of persons who make a support by pretending to tell fortunes, horse trading, tinkering or begging, fifty dollars in each county in which they offer to practice any of their crafts, recoverable out of any property belonging to any one of the company; but nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to exempt them from indictment or penalty imposed by law.

Sec. 33. Every non-resident or drummer or agent of a non resident, who shall sell any spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors goods, wares or merchandise by sample or otherwise whether delivered or to be delivered, shall pay an annual tax of fifty dollars, and a tax of like amount as is payable by residents on their purchases or sales, as the case may be, of similar articles, Before making such sales he shall obtain from the sheriff of the county in which he proposes to do business, a license in writing, which the sheriff may give on his entering into a bond in the sum of five hundred dollars, with sufficient security, conditioned to pay the taxes herein imposed, when demanded by the sheriff. Any person violating the provisions of this paragraph shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined and imprisoned at the discretion of the court, and shall forfeit and pay five hundred dollars to the sheriff, to be collected by distress or otherwise, four hundred dollars of which shall be accounted for as other taxes, and the residue he may retain to his own use or to the use of the informer.

Sec. 34. The chief officers of banks, including private banker, saving banks, and such insurance companies as are incorporated by this State, shall in April and October of each year, certify on oath the amount of dividends or profits which have been earned, and shall pay on such dividends, five per cent. On failure to comply with the provision of this section, said banks, companies or persons shall pay as taxes one thousand dollars, to be collected by the sheriff by distress or otherwise.

Sec. 35. Every insurance company not incorporated in this State doing business therein shall pay on the amount of assessments collected, premiums received and obligations for premiums three per cent., not to be less than four hundred dollars for each company; on failure to comply with the provisions of this section, shall pay as tax two thousand dollars and the principle agent shall be liable therefor. The above per centage tax shall be payable on the first day of April of each year and every three months thereafter.

Sec. 36. No person shall follow any of the trades or professions taxed by this act or in any other act imposing taxes on trades and professions and franchises without first obtaining a license from the sheriff of the county in which the trade or profession is to be followed, or the franchise enjoyed. Such license shall give to the person obtaining it the right to practice the trade of profession or to enjoy the franchise therein spefied, in the county of the sheriff by whom it is issued and in no other unless the law imposing the tax shall otherwise direct, from its date to the following first day of April; *Provided*, That nothing in this section shall apply to licensed practicing physicians, lawyers or dentists.

Sec. 37. The form of the license shall be in substance as follows:

Received this day of
186 of dollars, of which
dollars is the tax to the State of North Carolina, and dollars is the tax to the county of for his license to practice the trade (or profession) of

(Signed) A. B.,
Sheriff of County.
(Countersigned) C. D.,
Register of Deed for County.

Sec. 38. The amount of tax to be paid on obtaining the license to practice any trade or profession, which is taxed by a certain sum, shall be in proportion to the tax imposed for the whole year, as unexpired portion of the date of the license is to the whole year.

Sec. 39. Any person proposing to follow any taxed trade or profession may take out a licens in advance of the time when he proposes to begin such trade or profession, or in advance of the expiration of a license already held by him. In such case the licenes shall by truly dated and shall specify the time at which it shall begin to be of force, as well as the time when it shall expire, which shall always be on the first day of April next.

Sec. 40. No license issued by the sheriff shall be valid until the same shall have been exhibited to, and countersigned by the Register of Deeds of the county, who shall receive for the services imposed on him by this act in reference to licenses, a fee of twenty-five cents from every person licensed.

Sec. 41 The Register of Deeds shall keep a book, in which he shall record the name of the person licensed, the trade or profession to be followed or the franchise to be enjoyed, the date at which it begins to run and the sum paid to the sheriff and he shall on the first Monday in January, April, July and October, send a certified copy of such record for the quarter last preceding, to the Auditor of the State, who shall charge the sheriff with the amount so appearing due. If any Register shall fail to perform the duty hereby imposed on him, he shall forfeit to the State a penalty of two hundred dollars, to be recovered of him and the sureties to his official bond, on motion in the Superior Court for the county of Wake; and on such motion a certified copy of his official bond and the certificate of the Auditor of the State setting forth his failure to make the required return, shall be *prima facie* evidence entitling the State to judgment in the absence of any sufficient defence.

Sec. 42. Every person who shall practice any trade or profession, or use any franchise taxed by the law of North Carolina, without having first paid the tax and obtained a license as herein required, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall also forfeit and pay to the State a penalty not to exceed twenty dollars at the discretion of the court, (and in default of the payment of such fine, he may be imprisoned for not more than one month at the discretion of the court,) for every day on which he shall practice such trade or profession, or use such franchise; which penalty the sheriff of the county, in which it is incurred, shall cause to be prosecuted for before any justice of the peace of the county.

Sec. 43. The sheriff shall immediately report to the Register of Deeds all sums recovered by him as penalties under this act, and the Register shall add three-forths of each penalty recovered to the record of licenses required to be kept by him; the other fourth the sheriff may retain.

Sec. 44. No license shall be granted to any person until the license tax due by him shall be duly paid.

SCHEDULE C.

The tax embraced in Schedule C. shall be listed and paid as specially therein directed, and shall be for the privilege of carrying on the business named:

Section 1. Every Express Company shall make return to the Public Treasurer on or before the first Mondays in January, April, July and October, of each year of the gross earnings and receipts of such company within the State of North Carolina, during the three months next preceding. The said report shall be verified by the oath of the chief officer or agent of the company at its principal office in the State. The said company shall on or before the third Monday of each of the said months pay on the gross receipts two per cent. for each three months, and for failure to make such report, or pay such tax the company shall pay as taxes two thousand dollars, to be collected by such sheriff as the Public Treasurer may designate, by distress or otherwise.

Sec. 2. Every Telegraph company doing business in this State shall, at the times and in the manner prescribed in the preceding section, make report of the receipts of said Company within this State and pay to the Public Treasurer one per cent. for each three months and in case of default of such report, or payment, the company shall pay as tax one thousand dollars, to be collected by such sheriff as the Public Treasurer shall designate, by distress or otherwise.

Sec. 3. Whenever the seal of the State, or of the Treasury Department, a Notary Public, or other public officer, except clerks of the Supreme and Superior Courts, required by law to keep a seal, shall be affixed to any paper, except as hereinafter is executed, the tax shall be as follows, to be paid by the party applying for the same: For the seal of the State, one dollar, to be collected and paid into the Treasury by the Private Secretary to the Governor; for the seal of the Public Treasurer, to be collected by him and accounted for as other public moneys, fifty cents; for the seal of the Supreme Court, fifty cents, to be collected by the clerk, and paid by him into the Treasury; and for the seal of a Notary Public, or other public officer, twenty-five cents, to be collected and paid over by the officer collecting the same, to the sheriff of the county where such seal is kept. Said officers shall keep an account of the number of times their seals may be used, and shall deliver to the proper officers sworn statement thereof. Whenever a scroll is used in the absence of a seal, by any of said officers, the said tax shall be on the scroll. Seal made the use of any County or State or other Government, or used on the commissioners of officers in the militia, Justices of the Peace, or any public officer not having a salary, or under the pension laws, or upon any process of a court shall be exempt from taxation. The officers collecting the seal taxes may retain, as compensation, five per cent.

Sec. 4. On each marriage license, mortgage deed, marriage, and deed in trust to secure creditors there shall be a tax of one dollar. On every other deed conveying, or contracting to convey, title to real estate, and on all other instruments admitted to registration, where the consideration exceeds three hundred dollars and is less than one thousand dollars, fifty cents, and twenty-five cents in addition for every additional one thousand dollars. Where any of the foregoing instruments are proved before the clerk of the County Commissioners, he shall be charged with the collection of the tax as heretofore. Where probate is otherwise made the Register shall collect and pay the same, less five per cent commissions to the sheriff, rendering a sworn statement of the number and character of the instruments admitted to registration and the taxes due thereon, which the sheriff shall file with the Clerk of the county Commissioners, as directed by law.

Sec. 5. On every charter of incorporation of any company granted by the General Assembly other than those for charity, benevolence or literature, where the corporation had power to become incorporate under the provisions of charter twenty-six, Revised Code, entitled "Corporations," and on any amendment of every such charter, whether originally granted by the General Assembly or secured by letters patent or otherwise, there shall be a tax of twenty-five dollars paid directly to the Public Treasurer. No company shall be organized under such special act of incorporation or derive benefit from any act to amend these charter, without at first obtaining a certified copy of such act from the Secretary of State, which shall not be furnished until the Treasurer's receipt for the said tax shall be filed in the office of the said Secretary.

Sec. 6. All laws imposing taxes, the subjects of which are revised in this act are hereby repealed: *provided*, That this repeal shall not extend to the provisions of any law, so far as they relate to the taxes listed or which ought to have been listed, or which may be due previous to the ratification of this act.

Sec. 7. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1869.

DEATH OF SENATOR WYNNE.—Richard Ing Wynne one of the Senators from Wake and Franklin Counties departed this life at Cook's Hotel in Raleigh on last Saturday. We regret to make this announcement, as Col. Wynne had endeard himself to the people of this State for his bold and manly course, in defence of their rights.

It will be recollected that he paid a visit to our portion of the State last fall and was so favorably impressed with the resources of Western North Carolina, that he went back to Raleigh the Champion of the Wilmington Charlotte & Rutherford Railroad believing this road to be the most feasible route for opening up the great wealth of our trans-mountain Country.

Col. Wynne was a lawyer by profession and aged about fifty years.

J. W. BOWMAN ESQ—We take pleasure in laying before our readers a letter address to Mr. Bowman, by a number of his collegues in the Legislature; the bold and manly course of Mr. Bowman was such as to win for him the respect of all true Republicans notwithstanding the attempt made by some of the carpet baggers to read him out of the party for his adhesion to the principles of the party laid down by these same men to carry the Republicans of Western North Carolina.

We can say to these men *watch* for if they continue to persue a certain course that there will be a reading out, but not of such men as Mr. Bowman and as he truly said in a speech made in the Legislature there are Republicans so called who in advocating mixed schools are taking democratic grounds, we say then to such be careful, remember that the people will vote again, and who they read out of the Republican party will be read out in deed and in truth. We shall recur to this again.

OUR JUNIOR.—Is off on the rampage as usual. We fondly hoped that when Christmas Parties; fol de rols &c., were over, that he would settle down into something like what a quiet Country Editor should be. But alas! for such vain and delusive hopes. We sit alone in our sanctum, while he——,well he said he was going to attend the meeting of the Stockholders of the W. C. & R. Railroad which was to have met to-day. But when we asked him if he would return in the event of his missing connection at Charlotte, so as to make it impossible for him to be present at the meeting, our worst fears were realized, for he said No! Ah! he laughs at our advice and—behold the fruits, young men, and beware. We awfully fear that bright eyed girls will be his ruin, yet.

We shall look anxiously for the proceedings of this meeting, for on this does the future welfare of our section of the State greatly depend. We hope to give the full proceedings next week.

THE REVENUE BILL.—At the request of a number of our readers we reproduce the Revenue Bill this week, and advise our friends to file it for future refererences.

SUDDEN DEATH—We regret to announce the sudden and untimely detth of Mr. Miles Padgett, of Polk County, N. C. He left this village last evening, in apparent good health and was found soon afterwards, about one mile from this place, on the road leading to Shelby, dead. Doctors Craton and Twitty were promptly on the spot, and every available means used, to restore him to life, but without success. His sudden death was owing, most probably, to a disease of the heart, under which he has been laboring for some time.

Mr. Padgett was a native of this County, but has resided for a number of years in Polk County; where he filled, with honor to himself, and credit to the county, for many years the office of Magistrate. In the spring of 1868 he was elected one of the County Commissioners of Polk County; which office he filled at the time of his death.

He will be missed by his fellow citizens; and his loss will be felt by all who knew him. We sympathise with his children in this their sad bereavement.

Since writing the above, we are informed that a Jury of Inquest was held last night by Coroner Hollifield. The verdict of the Jury was in accordance with the above statements.

LAW COPARTNERSHIP.—In another column will be found the card of Messrs. Churchill & Whiteside, who have formed a copartnership in the practice of Law. They may be found next door north of Dr. Craton's Store. Give them a call.

PUBLIC DOCUMENTS.—Hon. A. H. Jones member of Congress from this District, will accept our thanks for public documents, sent us.

THE PENITENTIARY.—The Legislature has, very properly we think, decided to locate the Penitentiary at, or near, Raleigh: the citizens of which place have tendered to the State ten acres of land, and $10,000, in cash, as an inducement to procure its location at that point.

THE HOMESTEAD—We publish in to-days paper an act passed by the Legislature providing for laying off the Homestead, and personal property exemption; with the proper forms for proceedings under the act.

RELIGIOUS.—We are requested to announce that Eld. A. J. BATTLE, of the Christian Church, will preach at the Court House again on next Sunday at 11 o'clock, the public are respectfully invited to attend.

☞ The Homestead will appear in full next week.

Commissioners Court.

At a Commissioners Court held last Monday the following appointments were made for Land assesors in the different Townships in the County.

Rutherford No. 1. R. W. Logan Esq., J. M. Allen and E. Carrier.

Green Hill No. 2. N. H. Hampton Esq., I. P. Sorrels and Henry Gibbs.

Union No. 3. W. P. Abrams Esq., I. D. McClure and M. O. Dickerson.

Sulphur Springs No. 4. John Owens Esq., J. B. Snider and C. J. Sparks.

High Shoals No. 5. H. H. Hopper Esq., J. B. Gillespie and L. O. Jolley.

Colfax No. 6. John Davis Esq., E. D. Hawkins and Geo. Hamrick.

Cool Springs No. 7. M. J. Harrill Esq., H. Harrill and F. Moore.

Duncan's Creek No. 8. W. C. Holland Esq., Wm. G. Mode and A. V. Biggerstaff,

Golden Valley No. 9. J. S. Grayson Esq., Wm. Hunt and Williamson Fortune.

Logan's Store No. 10. Wm. P. Watson Esq., A. B. Long Sr., and J. M. Andrews.

Camp Creek No. 11. J. P. Allen Esq., D. D. Allen and James B. Morris.

Morgan No. 12. J. W. Morgon Esq., Moses Wilker-son and A. W. Haynes.

Chimney Rock No. 13 W. B. Wilson Esq., Wm. H. Logan and Henry Portrum.

Ordered that H. M. Miller be allowed Licens to Retail Liquors at his present stand, and also at the Hampton House.

R. C. Hawkins was granted License to retail Liquors at his present stand.

The Court also appointed Martin Walker and J. B. Carpenter Commissioners to let to the lowest bidder certain repairs to the Court House.

The Commissioners postponed laying the taxes until next Monday, when they will have another meeting.

Several persons were released from paying poll tax and working on the public roads, a few accounts were presented and audited which made up the days proceedings.

We shall endeavor to keep our Country readers posted as to the doings of this body. We find that their acts more directly affect us than almost any other.

CHURCH BURNED.—We regret to learn that the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, in the Southern part of this County was burned on Thursday night the 8th inst. It is supposed to have been the act of an incendiary, as there was no fire in the woods and no chance for it to have been done by accident. A person who would set fire to a Church and burn it, richly deserves the punishment for arson, and we hope the fiend in human shape who did this, may be brought to justice. We fear the good people around old Mt. Pleasant will not be able to replace the Church, without help, we for one are willing to lend a helping hand to replace the Church Go to work you who live near, and we hope you will receive help to rebuild.

☞ The Legislature adjourned last Monday.

Hon. J. W. Bowmon,

Sir: The undersigned members of the Republican party wish to embrace this opportunity to make to you this public testimonial of our appreciation of your course, on the Bill for the establishment of public Schools. No more important measure has been presented to the consideration of this General Assembly, important, as it affects the moral and intellectual advancement of the people as well as the pecuriary interest of the State. For all these great objects we believe your services have been invaluable. And mainly through your agency a bill has been adopted which secures efficiency and economy, and at the same time preserves inviolate the opinions and feelings of the people. The establishment of separate Schools for the races is imperitively fixed by law. The public property is preserved, and extravagance, Sectarianism, and partizanship excluded from the School books. We believe that the State for these great objects are more indebted to you than any other person.

Accept assurances of our high respect and esteem.

John B. Eaves, Senator, 38th District.
Wm. M Moore, Senator, 42nd District
James Blythe, Senator, 40th District.
J. M. Lindsay, Senator, 25th District.
T. M. Shoffner, Senator, 26th District.
C. H. Brogden, Senator, from Wake Co.
J. M. Justice, Rep. Rutherford County.
A. L. Hendrick, Rep. Surey County.
Henry Barnes, Rep. Rockingham County.
T. M. Westal, Rep. Yadkin County.
M. Carson, Rep. Ashe County.
S. C. Wilson, Rep. Burke County.
W. W. Gilbert, Rep. McDowell County.
L. B. Banner, Rep. Watauga County.
James F. Harris, Rep. Franklin County.
B. R. Hinnant, Rep. Johnson County.
E. U. Pow, Rep. " " "
J. E. A. Waldrop, Rep Polk County.
R. T. Long, Rep. Richmond County.
James C. Loney, Rep. Chatham County.
W. D. Justice, Rep. Henderson County.
J. W. Ragland, Rep. Chatham County.
Jno. A. McDonald Elector 45th Con. Dis.

THE HOMESTEAD.

An Act to lay off the Homestead and Personal Property Exemption.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact, as follows:

Section. 1. *Homestead, when and how exempted.* Whenever the real estate of any resident in this State shall be levied on by virtue of any execution, or any other final process, obtained on any debt, such portion thereof as may be occupied by the owner as an actual homestead, and which he may then elect to regard as such, including the dwelling and buildings thereon, shall be exempt from such levy, except under an execution or other final process issued for the collection of a debt contracted;

1. For purchase of said homestead.

2. For such work and labor done for the owner of the homestead, as may constitute a laborer's lien;

3. For such labor done on the premises as may constitute a mechanics' lien.

Sec. 2. *Sheriff to summon appraisers.* Before levying upon any homestead thus owned and occupied, the sheriff or other officer charged with such levy shall summon three discreet persons, qualified to act as jurors, to whom he shall administer the following oath: "I, A B, do solemnly swear [or affirm] that I have no intesest, near or remote, in the homestead exemption of C D, and that I will faithfully perform the duties of appraiser [or assessors, as the case may be,] in valuing and laying off the same. So help me God."

Sec. 3. *Duty of Appraisers.* The said appraisers shall thereupon proceed to value the homestead, with its dwelling and buildings thereon, and lay off to said owner such portion as he may select, or any agent, attorney, or other peson, in his behalf, not exceeding in value one thousand dollars, and to fix and describe the same by metes and bounds.

Sec. 4. *Appraisers to make return.* They shall then make and sign in the presence of the officer, a return of their proceedings, setting forth the property exempted, which shall be returned by the officer to the clerk of the county in which the homestead is situated, and filed with the judgement roll in the action, and a minute of the same entered on the judgment docket.

Sec. 5. *The levy to be made on excess.* The levy may be made upon the excess of the homestead, not laid off according to the provisions of this act, and that the officer shall make substantially the following return upon the execution: "A, B, C, D, and E F summoned and qualified as appraiser or assessor (as the case may be), who set off to X Y the homestead exempt by law.—Levy made upon the excess."

Sec. 6. *Appraisers to elect.* In case no election is made by the owner, his agent or attorney, or any one acting in his behalf, of the homestead to be laid off as exempt, the appraisers shall make such election for him, including always the dwelling and buildings used therewith.

Sec. 7. That whenever any resident of this State may desire to take the benefit of the homestead and personal property exemption as guaranteed by articles X of the Constitution of this State, such resident (or his agent or attorney) shall apply to any Justice of the Peace of the county in which he resides, and said Justice of the Peace shall appoint as assessors three disinterested persons qualified to act as jurors residing in said county, who shall, on notice by order of said Justice, meet at the applicant's residence, and after taking the oath prescribed in section two of this act for appraisers, before some official authorized to administer an oath, lay off and allot to the applicant a homestead, with metes and bounds, according to the applicant's direction, not to exceed one thousand dollars in value, and make and sign a descriptive account of the same and return it to the office of the Register of deeds.

Sec. 8. That said assessors shall set apart of the personal property of said applicant, to be by him selected, articles of personality not exceeding in value the sum of five hundred dollars, and make and sign a descriptive list thereof, and return the same to the Register of Deeds.

Sec. 9. That it shall be the duty of the Register of Deeds to endorse on each of said returns the date when received for registration, and to cause the same to be registered without unnecessary delay. The said Register shall receive for registering the said returns the same fees that may be allowed him by law for other similar or equivalent services, which fees shall be paid by said resident applicant, or his agent or attorney, upon the reception of said returns by the Register.

Sec. 10. That if any person entitled to a homestead and personal property exemption, die without having had the same set apart, his widow, if he leave one, then his child and children under the age of twenty one years, if he leave such, may proceed to have said homestead and personal property exemption laid off to her, him or them, according to the provisions of sections seven and eight of this act.

Sec. 11. That when any person entitled to a homestead or personal property exemption, shall file his or her petition before a justice of the peace, to have the same laid off and set apart under the provisions of sections seven, eight, nine and ten of this act, the said justice shall make advertisement at the court house door of the county in which the petition is filed, notifying all creditors of said applicant of the time and place when and where the said petition will be heard; and the same shall not be heard, nor any decree made in the cause in less than six months nor more than twelve, from the day of making advertisement above required.

Sec. 12. *Appraisal of personal property.* Whenever the personal property of any resident of this State, shall be levied upon by virtue of any execution or other final process issued for the collection of any debt, and the owner, or any agent, or attorney in his behalf, shall demand that the same, or any part thereof, shall be exempted from sale under such execution, the sheriff or other officer, making such levy, shall summon three appraisers as heretofore provided, who, having been first duly sworn, shall appraise and lay off to the judgment debtor, such articles of personal property as he, or another in his behalf select, to the value of five hundred dollars, which articles shall be exempt from said levy.

Sec. 13. *Return of the same.* Return shall be made of such appraisal and setting off of personal property, in the same manner as is required in section four of this act, upon the laying off of a homestead exemption.

Sec. 14. *Who to be appraisers.* The persons summoned to appraisers the personal property exemption shall take the same oath and be entitled to the same fees as the appraisers of the homestead, and when both exemptions are claimed by the judgment debtor at the same time.

Sec. 15. *Tracts not contiguous included.* Different tracts or parcels of land not contiguous, may be included in the same homestead, when a homestead of contiguous lands is not of the value of one thousand dollars.

Sec. 16. *Costs' how charged.* The cost and expenses of appraising and laying off the homestead or personal property exemption when the same is made under execution, shall be charged and included in the officers' bill of fees upon such execution or other final process; and when made upon the petition of the owner they shall be paid by such owner and the latter cost shall be a lien on said homestead.

Sec. 17. *Liability of officer.* Any officer making a levy who shall refuse or neglect to summon and qualify appraisers as heretofore provided for or who shall fail to make due return of their proceedings, or who shall levy upon the homestead set off by said appraisers or assessors (as the case may be) except as herein provided, shall be liable to indictment for a misdemeanor, and he and his sureties shall be liable to the owner of said homestead for all costs and dameges in a civil action.

Sec. 18. *Liability of appraises.* Any officer appraiser or Assessor (as the case may be) who shall wilfully or corruptly conspire with any judgement debtor, or other appraiser, or assessor (as the case may be) to undervalue the homestead or personal property exemption of such debtor, or shall assign false metes, and bounds, or make or procure to be made a false and fraudulent return thereof, shall be liable to indictment for a misdemeanor, and shall be answerable to judgement creditor for all costs and damages in a civil action.

Sec. 19. Any officer or appraiser or assessor who shall wilfully or corruptly conspire with any judgement creditor, or order appraiser, or assessor, to overvalue the homestead or personal property exemption of any debtor or applicant, or assign false metes and boundaries, or make, or procure to be made false and fraudulent return thereof shall be liable to indictment for a misdemeanor and shall be answerable to the party injured for all costs and damage in a civil action.

Sec. 20. *Judgement creditors dissatisfied* If the judgement creditor for whom the levy is made, or judgement debtor, or person entitled to homestead exemption, shall be disqualified with the valuation and allotment of the appraisers or assessors (as the case may be) he may, within ten days thereafter, or any other judgement creditor, within six months, and before sale under execution of the excess, notify the clerk of the township thereof, and file with him a transcript of the return of the appraisers or assessors, as the case may be, and thereupon the clerk shall notify the other trustees of the township to meet him, at a time specified, within ten days, on the premises, to re-assess and allot said homestead. At the time specified the trustees shall meet on the premises and having first taken the oath described for appraisers they shall view and examine the homestead laid off, and make their report as required in section twenty-four of this act;

Sec. 21. *Who disqualified to act as appraisers.* If any trustee, or any person summoned as an appraiser, shall be related by blood or marriage, to the debtor, or judgement creditor, or shall be a party in interest, in any action against the former, he shall be disqualified to serve in the valuations of the homestead or personal property exemption, and another person qualified to act as juror shall be summoned and qualified in his place.

Sec. 22. When the homestead or personal property exemptions is made or reallotted on the petition of the person entitled thereto, the township trustees shall make their report as required in section twenty of this act, to the register of deeds, specifying what changes, if any, they have made in the former valuation and allotment, who shall register the same as required in section nine, and when said homestead and personal property exemption is made, or reallotted, under execution by a judgement creditor, the township trustees shall make return to the clerk of the superior Court, who shall file the same and make a minute thereto, on the judgement roll and the execution docket.

Sec. 23. *Cost of reassesement, how paid.* If the board of trustees shall confirm the former appraisal or shall increase the exemption allowed the judgement debtor, the levy shall stand only upon the excess remaining, and the judgement creditor shall pay all costs of the re-allotment. If they reduce the amount allowed the judgment debtor, the cost shall follow the execution and the levy shall cover the excess remaining.

Sec. 24. *How vacated.* Any appraisal or or allotment by the trustees of a township may be set aside, on the application of any party interested, for fraud, complicity or other irregularity. The proceedings shall be upon petition, as in other special proceedings, and the applicant shall give bond to the opposing party for costs and damages.

Sec. 25. *Fees.* The following fees and no other shall be charged in this proceeding;

Each appraiser laying off homestead or personal property exemption of both, one dollar; officer for summoning and qualifying appraisers and delivering returns to clerk one dollar; clerk of Superior Court, for filing return and entering minute on execution docket, twenty-five cents; for making transcript for township clerk when required to do so, fifty cents; township clerk for summoning trustees, fifty cents; township clerk for transmitting return, twenty-five cents.

Sec. 26. *Act repealed.* All acts or clauses of acts in conflict with this act, or providing other means for the laying off of a homestead or personal property exemption, are hereby repealed.

CAPTIONS.

Of acts and resolutions passed by the General Assembly of North Carolina at its session of 1868–'69.

ACTS,

An act in regard to obtaining license to practice law in this State. [Allows all those who have license from the Supreme Court to practice in the late county courts to practice in all the courts of the State.]

An act to provide for the collection of taxes in Carteret county for the year 1868.

An act to incorporate the North Carolina Mutual Home Insurance Company.

An act to provide for the registration of voters in all special elections in this State.

An act to incorporate the Land and Lumber Company of North Carolina. [Incorporates Wm. Underwood, Chas. W. Smith Joseph Underwood and others, the capital stock consisting of personal property, not to exceed one million dollars, for the purpose of erecting saw mills, planing mills, and machinery for the manufacture of wood into material for houses, barrels, agricultural implements, &c.]

An act for the relief of James F. White, former sheriff of Gaston county. [Authorizes him until July 1st, 1869, to collect arrears of taxes for 1866-'67, with certain limitations.]

An act to amend the charter of the Cheraw and Coalfields Railroad Company.

An act for the relief of P. T. Massey and E. G. Hill, of the county of Johnston. [Remits judgment of $1.000 granted, against each of them for the non payment of taxes in due time.

An act to provide for the holding of municipal elections in North Carolina.

An act for the relief of James Rumley, late Clerk of the county court of Cartaret county. [Releases him from judgment entered on account of his failure in due time to make an abstract return of taxes from his county.

An act to amend the charter of the city of Wilmington.

An act to amend the charter of the town Washington.

An act to re-enact and confirm certain acts of the General Assembly authorizing the issue of State bonds to and for certain Railroad Companies.

An act in favor of the builders of public mills. [Confers upon the county commissioners the same powers that vested in the late county courts as per chapter 71 of the Revised Code.

An act to authorize the Public Treasurer to supply temporary deficiencies in the Treasury.

An act for holding special terms of Superior court in Craven county.

An act in relation to municipal elections. (Directs the commissioneas of the several towns to appoint three persons to hold their municipal elections and to make a return to the Register of Deeds of their county and to the clerk of the town.

An act to incorporate Silver Hill railroad company.

An act to incorporate the Contentnea manufacturing company.

An act to incorporate the Salem Fire company.

An act to amend an act for the relief of P. T. Massey, clerk of the Superior Court of Johnston.

An act to amend the charter of the city Wimington, ratified Dec. 18, 1868.

An act to incorporate Mt Olive Lodge, No. 208, A. Y. M. in Wayne county.

An act making an appropriation for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind asylum. [Appropriates $30,000 to defray the expenses for the present fiscal year.

An act to incorporate the Kilwinning Lodge, A. Y. M. at Wadesbory, in Anson county.

An act to amend the charter of the town Elizabeth City and certain amendatory acts thereto.

An act to transfer cases from the docket of the late Criminal court in Craven county to the Superior court of the same.

An act to incorporate Carolina Lodge, No. 141, at Ansonville, in Anson county.

An act to incorporate the town of Marion in McDowell county.

An act to authorize W. D. Justice, former sheriff of Henderson county, and other sheriffs, to collect arrears of taxes for the years 1866-'67.

An act to incorporate Lebanon Lodge, No. 207, of A. Y. M.

An act to amend an act concerning the government of counties.

An act for the charter of a ferry across Neuse river in the county of Craven.

An act to incorporate Dunn's Rock Lodge No. 207, of A. Y. M. at Brevard in the county of Transylvania.

An act for the relief of the sheriffs of the counties of Pasquotank and New Hanover. [Discharges John Wood and J. W. Schenck, Jr., from the payment of all penalties and forfeitures incurred on account of failure to pay and account for taxes in due time for the year 1868.

An act amendatory of the act to incorporate the Western N. C. Railroad Company, ratified the 15th day of February, 1855, and of all other acts amendatory thereof.

An act to amend the charter of the Wilmington, Charlotte & Rutherford Railroad Company, to provide for the completion of said road, and to secure to the State a representation in the company.

An act to prohibit hunting on the Sabbath. [Subjects the offender to a fine not to exceed $50; two thirds of which to go for free school purposes in the county where the offence is committed.

An act to incorporate the Jamesville and Washington Railroad and Lumber company.

An act amendatory of and supplemental to, an act amendatory of the act to incorporate the Western N. C. Railroad Company, ratified the 15th day of February, 1855, and of all other acts amendatory thereof passed at the present session of the General Assembly and ratified on the 29th day of January, 1869.

An act to prevent the felling of timber or otherwise obstructing Rockish Creek, the boundary line between New Hanover and Duplin counties. [Offenders to be fined not less than $25, or be imprisoned not less than three months, or both, at the discretion of the court.

An act to amend an act to incorporate the Pitt County Female Institute.

An act to incorporate the University Railroad Company.

An act to enable the County Commissioners of New Hanover county the better to carry out the provisions of the 13th section of article 7 of the Constitution of the State. [Authorizes the county commissioners to examine the books, documents, &c., of county officers, who have appropriated and disbursed any public money, and to that end can send for persons and papers, &c.

An act to authorize A. B. Jones, former tax collector of Buncombe county, to collect arrears of taxes for the years 1866-'76.

An act to amend an act to amend the charter of the Western Railroad Company, ratified 21st of August, 1868.

An act to amend the charter of the Oxford Branch of the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad.

An act to amend the charter of the Atlantic, Tennessee and Ohio Railroad Company in North Carolina.

An act to amend the charter of the Williamson and Tarboro Railroad Company.

An act to repeal an act entitled an act to amend an ordinance of the Convention entitled an ordinance to incorporate the North Western N. C. R. R. Company.

An act to be entitled an act to consolidate the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad Company and the N. C. Railroad Company.

An act to authorize and empower R. W. Hardie, late sheriff of Cumberland county, to collect arrears of taxes for the years 1866-'67.

An act to authorize Pitt county to raise a special tax for certain purposes. [Authorizes the levying and collecting of a special tax of $7,000 to rebuild and repair bridges and school houses.]

An act to authorize the commissioners of the town of Tarboro' to convey the right of way the Williamson and Tarboro' Railroad Company.

An act to establish a Turnpike Road from Marion, in the county of McDowell, to Asheville in the county of Buncombe.

An act entitled an act to incorporate the Madren Mining Company.

An act to amend an act, passed and ratified the 15th day of February, 1859, to regulate the sale of spirituous liquors in the town of Asheville.

An act to incorporate Bever Dam Lodge, No. 276, F. A. M., in the county of Union.

An act to legalize certain official acts of chairman of the late county courts of this State.

An act to incorporate Gaston Lodge, No. 263, F. A. M., in the county of Gaston.

An act to incorporate Unaka Lodge, No. 264 F. A. M., in the town of Webster, Jackson county.

An act making an appropriation for securing the Insane Asylum against fire. [Appropriates $3,000.]

An act to be entitled an act to incorporate the North Carolina Land Company. [Of Raleigh.]

An act to repeal an act providing for furnishing the Executive Mansion.

An act to incorporate the North Carolina Manufacturing, Loan and Trust Company.

An act to protect certain citizens of North Carolina, who rented lands of the United States Treasury agents during the late war.

An act to incorporate Burnsville Lodge No. 192, in the county of Yancy.

An act to incorporate the Union Land Company.

An act to amend the charter of the Union Manufacturing Company in the town of Fayetteville.

An act to amend the charter of the town of Lenoir, Caldwell county.

An act for the relief of F. M. Pittman, of the county of Lenoir, for over assessment of taxes for the year 1868, (Relieves him of the payment of $28.

An act to prevent the felling of trees in the Catawba River.

An act to incorporate Lee Lodge, No. 253 A. Y. M., in the town of Taylorsville, Alexander county.

An act to authorize the commissioners of Duplin county to levy a special tax for building and repairing public bridges in said county. [Authorizes the levying and collecting of a tax of one tenth of one per cent on all taxable property.]

An act to allow citizens of the State to practice law in the courts of the State. Allows any citizen of good moral character, by the payment of a license tax of $20, to practice law.

An act to transfer McDowell county, now in the 10th Judicial District, to the 11th Judicial District and to transfer Alleghany county, now in the 11th District, to the 10th Judicial District, and to change the time of holding the terms of the court in said Districts and others.

An act to incorporate the Jonesville Lodge No. 277, in the county of Yadkin.

An act to authorize the sheriff of Columbus county to collect arrears of taxes. (For the years 1866-'67 68, the time to so collect to cease after Nov. 1st, 1869.

An act for the relief of Wm. H. Gentry, sheriff of Stokes county. (Authorizes him to collect arrears of taxes for the year 1866-'67, the time to so collect to cease on Nov. 1st, 1869.)

An act in regard to the election of municipal officers in the town of Hartford, Perquimans county.

An act to amend the charter of the Green Swamp company.

An act to incorporate Beaufort Harbor Steam Ferry Company of North Carolina.

An act to amend the charter of the Judson Female College located at Hendersonville. (Prevents the establishment of any tipling house otherwise than those chartered in the town within one half mile of the College.)

An act to repeal an act to provide for the employment of convicts and the erection of a penitentiary.

An act to change the time of holding the courts in the counties of Hyde and Martin.

An act to protect cattle from distempers or other infectious diseases.

An act to grant a town lot in the city of Raleigh to trustees to be used for the education of children.

An act to incorporate the N. C. Purchase and Trust Company.

An act to prescribe the power and duty of the Governor in respect to fugatives from justice. (Rewards not to exceed $500 to be offered in accordance with the nature of the case, no part of which shall go to any sheriff or peace officer, whose duty it is to arrest felons, &c.)

An act to repeal section second of the act passed by this General Assembly ratified the 25th day of February, 1869, entitled an act to change the time of holding the courts in the 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th Judicial districts.

An act to provide for an assignment of rooms in the Capitol and Executive Mansion to State executive officers.

An act providing for an official declaration of the results in the late Congressional election.

An act to renew the charter of the Richmond Manufacturing Company.

An act in favor of Wm. A. Philpot, late sheriff of Granville county, and John Harris of Person county.

An act to incorporate the Raleigh Cemetary Association.

An act to incorporate the Wilmington Life Insurance Company.

An act to incorporate the North Carolina Real and Personal Estate Agency.

An act to amend title 6, section 68, of the code of civil procedure.

An act for the relief of J. F. Hartgrove, late tax collector for the county of Haywood. (Authorizes him to collect arrears of taxes for the year 1868.)

An act to authorize the county commissioners of Surry county to improve the road from John Allen's to the top of the Blue Ridge in Surry county.

An act to incorporate Waynesville Lodge, No. 259, A. Y. M. in the town of Waynesville, county of Haywood.

An act to be entitled an act to enable the city of Raleigh to borrow money for certain purposes.

An act for the relief of J. W. Schenck, the sheriff of New Hanover county. [Relieves him from the payment of a fine or $1.000 for non payment of arrears of taxes.

An act to incorporate the Wilmington Steam Fire Company.

An act to amend chapter 2, title 19, of the code of civil procedure.

An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Newton in the county of Catawba, ratified in 1855, and act amendatory thereof.

An act to incorporate Rehoboth Lodge, No. 279, A. Y. M, at Teachey's in the county of Duplin.

An act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Thomasville.

An act to incorporate Hibritton Lodge, No. 263, in Lenoir, Caldwell county.

An act to incorporate Atlantic Lodge, No 238, of A. Y. Masons at Indian Ridge in the county of Currituck.

An act to incorporate Jefferson Lodge, No 219, F. & A. M. in the town of Jefferson, Ashe county.

An act to incorporate the town of Mt. Airy in the county of Surry.

An act to authorize elections in certain towns in this State.

An act to incorporate the New Hanover Agricultural society.

An act to prevent the felling of trees into the waters of Mitchell River, Surry county and the throwing of other obstructions therein. (Makes such acts misdemeanors, to be punished at the discretion of the courts.)

An act to authorize the Sheriff of Ashe county to collect arrears of taxes for the years 1867-'68.

An act for the relief of the sheriff of Alleghany county. [Authorizes him to collect arrearages of taxes for the years 1867-'68.]

An act authorizing the Governor to appoint a Mayor and Commissioners for the town of Hendersonville.

An act to incorporate the Littleton Manufacturing Company.

A further supplement to an act entitled an act to incorporate the Green Swamp company.

An act to incorporate the Central North Carolina Railroad Company.

An act to authorize the county commissioners of the county of Camden to levy a special tax of $1500 to repair public buildings and to pay a part of the county debt.

An act in relation to the Lunatic Asylum.

An act to amend the charter of the Caldwell and Watauga Turnpike Company.

An act to incorporate the Currituck Club Steamboat Company.

An act to remove obstructions in the Pee Dee, Yadkin and Uharrie Rivers for the purpose of allowing shad and other fish free passage up said rivers. Authorizes the commissioners of the counties through which the rivers run, to remove, within 30 days, or sooner, all obstructions therein; the penalty on those obstructing the river is $250, or twelve months imprisonment; or both, as the court may direct.

An act to amend the charter of the town of Jamesville.

An act to authorize and empower John M. Bateman, sheriff of Washington county to collect arrears of taxes for the year 1867.

An act to provide for the collection of taxes by the State, and by the several counties of the State, on property, polls and income.

An act to incorporate Tobasco Lodge of Masons.

An act relative to the Western Turnpike Road leading from Asheville westward to Murphy, and thence by separate routes to the Georgia and Tennessee lines.

An act to confirm certain land grants issued to Lewis W. Bryan and others in the counties of Ashe and Alleghany.

An act to amend an act entitled an act to make bank bills a set off.

An act to prevent the sale of spirituous liquors within two miles or less of Bingham School.

An act to incorporate Castle Hayne Vineyard Company.

An act to authorize Jonathan Mann, late sheriff of Stanley county to collect arrears of taxes for the years 1866-'67.

An act to transfer cases from the docket of the late Criminal Court of Craven county to the Superior court of the same.

An act in relation to property belonging to the Board of Education. (Forbids sales of swamplands, stocks &c., held for educational purposes, except by act of Assembly.)

An act to incorporate the Swift Island Manufacturing Company in the county of Montgomery.

An act to transfer to the county of Montgomery that portion of the Fayetteville and Albemarle Plank Road that is included within the limits of Montgomery county.

An act for the relief of the securities of S A. Warren, late sheriff of the county of Northampton. (Authorizes the present sheriff to collect arrears of taxes for the years 1866-'67.

An act to authorize the county commissioners of Anson county to levy a special tax (Amount not to exceed $15.000, to build a jail and court house.

An act to continue in force and amend an act entitled an act to authorize the county of Cumberland and the town of Fayetteville to issue bonds for their indebtedness, ratified March 24, 1867. Changes "justices" to "commissioners," who are authorized to levy a tax to pay the interest on the bonds to be issued, such action to be submitted for ratification to the qualified voters of the county.

An act to authorize the commissioners of Rockingham county to levy a special tax for the purpose of building and repairing bridges in said county.

An act to amend an act entitled an act concerning the Register of Deeds ratified August 21st, 1868.

An act to authorize and empower Reuben King, late sheriff of Robeson county, to collect arrears of taxes. Allows his representatives until January 1870, to collect arrearages of taxes for the years 1866-'67.

An act to amend an act to incorporate the Atlantic Fire Company No. 1, in the town of Newbern.

An act to incorporate Woodlawn Cotton and Woolen Manufacturing Company, in the county of Gaston, N. C.

An act suspending the code of civil procedure in certain cases.

An act to incorporate the Lockville Manufactering Company.

An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the town of Lillington in the county of New Hanover.

An act to incorporate Richland Lodge, No. 214, A. Y. M. in the town of Thomasville, county of Davidson.

An act to empower W. T. Rhodes, R. M. Orrell and others to remove obstructions out of the Cape Fear River between Fayetteville and Northington dam.

An act to incorporate Noble Lodge, No. 264, E. A. M. in Guilford county.

An act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Lumberton.

An act to authorize the late sheriff of Yadkin county to collect the arrearages of taxes. For the year 1866-'67.

An act to legalize an election held in the town of Marion, McDowell county, on the 4th day of January, 1869.

An act for the relief of T. F. Lee, sheriff. Directs the Auditor and Public Treasurer to settle with him for the amount of taxes due the State on the tax list when turned over to him by his predecessor, R. K. Ferrell.

An act to allow causes to be reheard in certain cases.

An act to authorize Samuel R. Bunting, late sheriff of New Hanover county to collect arrears of taxes due him. For the year 1866-'67, the power to collect to cease at the 1st of January, 1870.

An act authorizing the North Western N. C. Railroad Company to receive subscriptions in bonds, &c., to the capital stock of the Company.

An act to amend title 7, section 72, Code of Civil Procedure.

An act for the relief of Jesse Sumner, sheriff for the county of Buncombe. Releases him from a fine of $1.000 for failing in due time to pay his tax for the year 1868.

An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the University Railroad Company.

An act to incorporate the Joseph C. Abbott Fire Relief Association of Wilmington.

An act to cure certain irregularities in the mode of commencing certain actions, and to amend certain sections of the Code of Civil Procedure.

An act concerning public bridges and roads in the county of Robeson. Authorizes the county commissioners to lay off new roads and discontinue old ones; also to fine those who refuse to work the roads, not to exceed $5 in any one case.

An act for the relief of Mary Crowder. Allows her to marry again without being subject to a criminal prosecution therefor.

An act to authorize the construction of a toll bridge across Haw River.

An act to change the name of the town of Nahunta, in Wayne county, to "Fremont."

An act to raise additional revenue in the county of Green. Authorizes the levying and collecting of a tax of 10 mills on the dollar of real and personal property, to pay off county debt.

An act to authorize the commissioners of Northampton county to levy a special tax, &c. Not to exceed $2.000 for the purpose of repairing bridges.

An act to authorize Clay county to levy a special tax to pay off its indebtedness.

An act to authorize the commissioners of Union county to levy a special tax. To pay $4,000 or upwards, interest on her bonds, due the present year.

An act to authorize the commissioners of the county of Robeson to levy a special tax. Not more than 20 cents upon the $100 valuation of moneys, credits, &c., to pay off the county debt.

An act to empower the county commissioners of Wake county to levy a special tax. Not to exceed $5,000, for the support of the poor, and to meet the other necessary expenses.

An act to allow the county commissioners of Alexander to levy a special tax. Not to exceed $3.000 for the purpose of repairing the public buildings and to pay the debt of the county.

An act to allow the commissioners of the town of Rutherfordton to levy taxes and for other purposes. To repair streets and sidewalks, &c.

An act to authorize the Board of commissioners of Wilson county to levy a special tax. Not to exceed $6,000 to pay off the county debt.

An act to authorize the commissioners of Washington and Rutherford counties to levy a special tax. Not to exceed $4000.

An act authorizing the county commissioners of Stanly county to levy a special tax. $5,000 to build a jail.

An act to authorize the county commissioners of Randolph county to levy a special tax. Not to exceed $5,000 to support the poor, &c.

An act authorizing the commissioners of Iredell county to levy a special tax. $5,000 to build a jail.

An act in regard to proceedings before magistrates.

An act to incorporate the Yellow Mountain Bridge Company.

An act to incorporate the Davidson Railroad Company.

An act to authorize the construction of a railroad through the counties of Granville, Person, Caswell, &c.

An act to incorporate the Raleigh Co-operative Land and Building Association.

An act to establish the Wilmington Water Works Company.

An act to provide the procedure in special proceedings generally, and in application for widow's year's support and in dower.

An act relating to the weighing of rosin at the port of Wilmington.

An act supplemental and amendatory to an act in regard to the Western N. C. Railroad Company.

An act for the relief of John A. Long, sheriff of the county of Richmond. Authorizes him to collect arrears of taxes for the years 1866-'67.

An act to amend the charter of the Silver Mining Company.

An act to make certain amendments in the Code of Civil Procedure.

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the Tuckaseige Baptist High School in the county of Macon.

An act to incorporate the Wilmington Hook and Ladder company, ratified Feb. 25 1869.

An act to provide for the appointment of entry takers.

An act to be entitled an act to raise revenue.

An act to authorize the Public Treasurer to supply temporary deficiencies in the Treasury. To pay interest on the public debt falling due Jan. 1st, 1869, and April and July 1st, 1866.

An act to charter the town of Henderson.

An act to authorize the Board of Education to sell the stock now owned by the Public School Fund in the Cape Fear Navigation Company.

An act concerning certain railroad appropriations. (Submits all new railroad projects to a vote of the people.)

An act to create a mechanics' and laborers' lien law.

An act to relieve Rufus Galloway, late sheriff of Brunswick county. Relieves him of a penalty of $1000 for failure to settle at the proper time, with the Public Treasurer.

An act to amend section 6, chapter 35, of an act concerning the Register of Deeds.

An act to forbid the sale of spirituous liquors on the line of the North Western N. C. Railroad. Prevents the sale of liquor within five miles on each side of the road, offenders being deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

An act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Tarboro.

An act to amend section 3, chapter 26, of the Revised Code in regard to obtaining divorces.

An act to prevent the obstruction of fish in Little River to K. B. Whitley's mills in Johnson county. Fines offender $50 or one month's imprisonment.

An act to provide a salary for the Governor and Treasurer of the State. Governor $5,000; Treasurer, $3,000.

An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Plaster Banks and Salt Works Railroad Company, ratified May 30 1864.

An act concerning the settlement of the estates of deceased persons.

An act entitled proceedings in Habeas Corpus.

An act to authorize the Swift Island Manufacturing Company to establish a public ferry across Peedee River near their factory.

An act to amend an act relative to the Western Turnpike Road, ratified March 17, 1869.

An act to give Clay county the benefit of her own bonds (as derived from the sale or entry of lands, the proceeds of which, being in the hands of Jacob Siler, are to be applied to works of internal improvement in Clay county.)

An act to incorporate Wm. T. Bain Lodge No. 231, of A. Y. M. in Wake county.

An act to incorporate the Sparkling Catawba Springs Company of the county of Catawba.

An act to lay off the homestead and personal property exemptions.

An act to authorize the construction of a railroad from the town of Elenton in this State to the town of Suffolk in Virginia.

An act to cede to the United States a certain track of land in Wake county for a soldiers cemetary.

An act to incorporate the town of La Grange in the county of Lenoir.

An act to authorize the commissioners of Halifax county to levy a special tax for building and repairing public bridges and buildings in said county.

An act to incorporate the Fayetville Co-operative Land and Building Association.

An act to empower the commissioners of Cumberland county to lay a special tax.—Levies a tax of not more than $2,59 upon the $100 valuation of all moneys, investments in trade, &c.

An act to be entitled an act concerning an entry taker.

An act to incorporate the town of Durham in the county of Orange.

An act to authorize the erection of a bridge across Jone's River in Burke county.

An act to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to renew the charter of the Richmond Manufacturing Company, passed at the present session of the General Assembly.

An act to incorporate Mebanesville Lodge No. 272, A. Y. M., in the town of Mebanesville, in the county of Alamance.

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the Union Church Association at Company Shops.

An act in relation to a Plank Road.

An act to amend an act entitled an act relative to the Western Turnpike Road.

An act to incorporate the Wake County Co-operative Business Company.

An act respecting County Treasurers.

An act to incorporate the Pineville Water Power and Manufacturing Company.

An act to incorporate the old North State Insurance Company.

An act supplemental to an act entitled an act to raise revenue.

An act to charter the Bank of Asheville, N. C.

An act to authorize the several counties of the State to subscribe stock in Railroad Companies.

An act to charter the bank of Greensboro.

An act to be entitled "an act concerning Townships."

An act to add another section, to be marked section 400, to chapter VII, Title XIX, of the Code of Civil Procedure.

An act to incorporate the Peoples' Gas Light Company.

Amendments to the Code of Civil Procedure.

An act in relation to proceding in contempt.

An act to define and punish bribery.

An act to amend the charter of the city of New Berne, and to authorize an issue of bonds by the same.

An act to be entitled "an act concerning Guardian and Ward."

An act relating to special procedure in cases of mills.

An act to provide for a Board of Public Charities and prescribing the duties thereof. To consist of five members, one of whom to hold office for one year, one for two years, one for three years one for four years, and one for five years. The whole system of charitable and penal institutions of the State to be under the controll of the committee, who are to perform their duties gratuitously, their travelling expenses only to be paid.

An act in relation to punishment.

An act to incorporate the Middle Falls Manufacturing Company in Richmond county.

An act entitled proceedings of impeachment.

An act to provide forms in civil proceedings before Justices of the Peace.

An act entitled an act to enable the Chatham Railroad Company to complete its road.

An act to regulate proceedings in the partition and sale of real and personal estate.

RESOLUTIONS.

Senate resolution on absent members. Refuses *per diem* to those Senators having an indefinite leave of absence, also to those absent beyond their time of leave, unless such absence was occasioned by sickness.

Resolution for the relief of Robert B. Wood, Jr., and his sureties. D. E. Bunting P. W. Fanning, Samuel R. Bunting and John Jones.

Resolution in favor of the reporters of the two Houses of the General Assembly. Appropriates $400, to be paid the four regular reporters of the *Standard* and *Sentinel*.

Resolution instructing our Senators and Representatives in Congress to vote for a repeal of the tenure-office law.

Resolution in favor of E. Murrill, sheriff of Onslow county. (Allows him until January, 1870, to collect arrears of taxes for the years 1866-'67; also releases him of a penalty of $1,000.)

Joint resolution in regard to holding two sessions per day.

Resolution declaring vacancy in the 41th Senatorial District; (Declares vacant the seat of A. C. Avery.

Resolution in favor of A. C. Aver Senator elect from the 41st District. (Authorizes the Public Treasurer to pay Major Avery his *per diem* and milliage up to the time his seat was declared vacant.

Resolution in regard to pages.

Resolution concerning the milleage and *per diem* for members banned by the 14th amendment of the Constitution of the United States. (Allows up to the 16th of July pay of *per diem* and milleage to those members of the House in actual attendance, who were banned by the 14th amendment.)

Joint resolution to allow the Legislature to take a recess. (During Christmas.

Resolution in regard to mortgage bonds of the North Carolina Railroad Company.

Resolution to tobacco tax. [Requests the N. C. Representation in Congress to use their endeavors to have the tax reduced from 32 to 10 cents per pound.]

Resolution for the relief of James Cansler, sheriff of Macon county. (Releases him from a penalty of $1000 on account of delinquency in making tax returns, and allows his commissions, and per diem and milleage.)

Senate resolutions in regard to Senate Library, (Requests the Librarin to procure five copies of the laws of 1866-67 to be placed in the Senate library.)

Senate resolution in regard to map of the State. (Returns thanks to Rev. S. Pearce for the loan of his map to the Senate.)

Joint resolution providing for a committee of investigation. (In reference to bribery and corruption charged by rumor and otherwise on members of the General Assembly.)

Senate resolution instructing committee. (Authorized the committee on the sale of the State's interest in the public work to call upon the Governor for information as to any proposal make to him to purchase the same, &c.)

Resolution in favor of the late county clerk of Haywood. (Remits judgment of $1000 against W. W Medford for allure to make returns in due time of the abstract taxable property of Haywood county.

Senate resolution appointing a committee of inquiry. (To consist of three Senators to inquire into the facts attending the purchase of the Penitentiary site.)

Joint resolution to raise joint committee to investigate the management, &c., of the Bank of North Carolina. (Provides for the appointment of a committee of five of the two Houses, with power to employ counsel and to send for books and papers.)

Joint resolution in relation to Banks, in which the State is interested as a stockholder. (Provides that a committee of five shall be appointed to set during the session, and to inquire the number and names of debtor and creditors, the circulation on May 1st, 1861, the amount redeemed since May 1865, the amount outstanding on 1st and 21st May, 1865, the number of depositors at the date of suspension and on Nov. 1st, 1868, the number and amount of deposite paid during the war, the property and the value thereof belonging to said banks, the amount of specie on hand at suspension, and on Nov. 1st, 1868, &c.)

Resolution of J. W. Fisher. (Releases him from a penalty of $1,000 failure to make return of abstract of the property of Jackson county.)

Joint resolution concerning sheriff of Carteret county. [Authorizes him to collect the taxes due for the years 1865-'67.)

Resolution in regard to the co-operations of the State of North Carolina and the State of Tennessee in certain railroad enterprise. Requests the Tennesse Legislature to send to Raleigh a delegation to confer with a committee of seven of the North Carolina Legislature in reference to certain Railroad interests in which the two State are inferested.)

Resolution in favor of J. C. Gulliek. [Releases him from amercement for failure to make return of the enlisted tax of 1868 for Henderson county.]

Resolution in favor of the sheriff and Register of Deeds for Green county. (Released W. S. Edwards and W. J. Taylor to make the returns as required by their respective offices.[

Resolution in favor of the sheriff of Tyrrell county.

Senate resolution instructing the committee on corporations. (Instructs them to report adversely on all bills, the objects of which could be attained under general laws.)

Resolutions instructing Code Commissioners to report a compilation of charters, &c.

Resolutions asking our representatives in Congress to use their influence to revive and re-open all the mail routes and post offices heretofore existing in North Carolina.

Resolution in relation to improvement of the navigation of the Cape Fear River. (Ask the N. C. Representatives in Congress to endeavor to secure an appropriation from the general government to improve the navigation of the river.)

Resolution in favor of W. H. White.

Joint resolution to provide an office for the State Auditor.

Resolution to provide an office for the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Resolution for the relief of the sheriff of Beaufort county. (Releases D T. Carrow from penalties incurred for failure to make tax returns in due time for the year 1867.)

Resolution in favor of Jesse R. Weaver, late County Court Clerk in and for the county of Buncombe. (Releases him of penalty of $1.000 for failure to send forward in time the abstract return of taxes.)

Resolution to annul a portion of a joint resolution in regard to the rooms in the Capitol building.

Resolution instructing select Senate Penitentiary committee.

Resolution instructing the judiciary committee.

Resolution declaring seat of Senator from the 14th district vacant.

Resolution in regard to the printing of the laws. (Prescribes that none but general laws shall be printed for the use of members.)

Resolution in favor of sheriff of Brunswick county. (Releases him from a fine of $1,000 for not settling in time with the Public Treasurer.)

Resolution in reference to the Executive Mansion. (Directs the Superintendant of Public Works to report at once to the joint committee on public buildings by what authority he occupies the Governer's palace, &c.)

Resolution asking for information of the Supreme Court. (As to the constitutionality of the homestead and personal property exemption, provided for in article 10 of the Constitution.)

Joint resolution of instructions to the Public Treasurer of the State. (Provides for the payment of the traveling and hotel expenses of witnesses summoned before the committee on bribery and corruption.)

Resolution inviting immigration. (Expresses the opinion of the General Assembly that the people generally of the State will hail with delight the coming among us from abroad all permanent settlers, &c.)

Resolution providing for payment of a clerk to the committee of investigation of bribery and corruption. (Allows $60.)

Resolution for the relief of W. M. D. Moore (Releases him from a fine of $1,000 for failing to make return in time for an abstract of the taxables of Brunswick county.)

Resolution in favor of T. H. Alexander, late clerk of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for the county of Tyrrell. (Relases him of a penalty of $1,000 for failure in due time to make return of taxables.)

Resolution for the relief of A. J. Johnson, late clerk of the County Court of Onslow. Remits judgment against him for $1,000 for failure in proper time to return an abstract of taxables.)

Resolution in regard to special tax on whisky. (Requests our Senators and Representatives in the U. S. Congres to endeavor to have repealed the law requiring a special tax of $400 on dis illeries, and to exempt from the purchase of a "meter," those who manufacture less than 300 gallons.)

Resolution in favor of T. C. Humphries, late sheriff of Currituck county. (Allows him until January 1st, 1870, to collect arrears of taxes for the year 1866 and 1867.

Resolution extending time given to joint committee on banks. (Extends the time to 60 days instead of 30 days in which to make report.)

Resolution in favor of A. J. Murray sheriff of the county of Haywood. (Remits a penalty of $1,000 against him.)

Resolution for the relief of D. A. Spivey, late tax collector of Greene county. (Releases him of a penalty of $1,000 for failing to due time to make returns to the Public Treasurer.)

Resolution relative to the mint at Charlotte. (Requests the N. C. representation in Congress to use their influence to re-establish the mint, and to have the same put in immediate operation.)

Resolution in relation to raising a joint committee to consider the erection of a State's prison.

Resolution in relation to the Public Treasurer. (Authorizes the appointment of a committee of six to investigate charges against the Treasurer.)

Resolution in favor of A. L. Parton, late tax collector of Macon county. (Authorizes him to collect arrears of taxes for the year 1867.)

Resolution in favor of J. C. Byars, sheriff of Cleveland county. (Gives him until Jan. 1st, 1870, to collect the unpaid taxes for the year 1866.)

Joint resolution ratifying the proposed amendment to the Consultution of the United States, styled Article XV.

Resolution raising a Joint committee of three on the part of each House, to report a bill for the relief of the people of N. C.

Resolution in favor of Wm. Thompson, W. D. Jones, Wm. Grimes and R. K. Ferrel. [Directs the Public Treasurer to pay them in the aggregate $157.48.)

Resolution vacating the seat of John A. Oates, Senator elect from the 16th Senatorial district.

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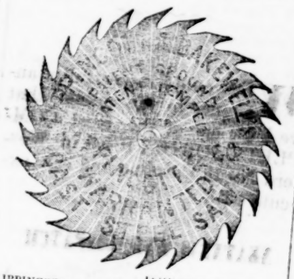

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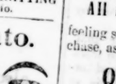

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2. Be it further ordained That all persons liable to pay tax within the corporation be required to deliver to the Town Mayor on or before the 15th day of May, 1868, a list of all real taxable property for which they may be liable.—Any person failing to render such list shall be liable to a double tax, and the Mayor is hereby authorized to enforce this ordinance strictly according to Law.
3. Be it further ordained, That all the male citizens within the incorporate limits of said Town, liable by law to work on public roads, be and they are hereby required to work on the public streets and roads in the corporate limits of said Town six days in the year or forfeit to the Mayor one dollar for each day they fail. Provided, That in the discretion of the Mayor such service may be rendered by substitute.
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5. Be it further ordained, That any person who shall ride or hitch any horse, or other animal, on the side walks of the streets of the Town shall forfeit and pay a fine of One Dollar for the first and Two Dollars for each additional offence, to be collected and expended as other taxes for improvement of the Town.
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